

culosis Sanatorium, which shall be under the control of the board of managers hereinafter provided for. The said board of managers shall consist of the governor, state treasurer and comptroller of the treasury, for the time being, *ex officio*, and seven other persons who shall be appointed by the governor, as follows: Two to serve for the term of six years, two to serve for the term of four years, two to serve for the term of two years, respectively, from the first day of May, nineteen hundred and six, and the remaining member to serve for the term of six years from the first day of May, 1908. The board so created shall constitute a body corporate under the title of the Maryland Tuberculosis Sanatorium, and shall have power to make such by-laws, rules and regulations not inconsistent with the law as they may deem necessary and proper for the public welfare and best interests of the institution and its inmates. It shall also have power to appoint necessary officers for conducting said sanatorium, agents and employes who shall be removable at its pleasure. They shall make a report of its proceedings, receipts and expenditures, as of the 30th day of September, 1916, and annually thereafter, to the governor of the State, who shall submit the same, with such recommendations as he may deem proper, to the general assembly at its next session thereafter. The governor, by and with the advice and consent of the senate shall biennially appoint two persons, resident of the State of Maryland, as managers of said sanatorium for a term of six years dating from the first day of May succeeding their appointment. They shall hold office until their successors are appointed and qualified so that there shall always be six appointed members in the board, and they shall serve without pay. They shall be chosen with a view to their intelligence, experience and character, without reference to ecclesiastical or party ties, and the governor shall also have power, in case of any vacancy occurring in the board from death, resignation, removal from the State or any other cause, to appoint a person to fill such vacancy for the balance of the unexpired term of the manager whose position becomes vacant.\*

1918, ch. 148, sec. 1A.

199A. In addition to all the powers and duties heretofore given and imposed by law to and upon the Maryland Tuberculosis Sanatorium, and the Board of Managers in control thereof, the said Board of Managers for and in the name of the Maryland Tuberculosis Sanatorium, shall make suitable and appropriate provision for the establishment and maintenance, within this State, of proper facilities for the care and treatment of colored persons, subject to the rules now existing or hereafter adopted by said Board, who are *bona fide* residents of the

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\*The act of 1916, chapter 628, provides for the establishment in Montgomery County of a tuberculosis hospital for indigent persons and for "The Tuberculosis Commission of Montgomery County."

Section 2 of the act of 1916, chapter 497, provides for the repeal of all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with said act of 1916, to the extent of such inconsistency.